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Filed: September 30, 2003
Conf. No.: Not Assigned
Title: ELECTROSTATIC CHUCKS AND ELECTROSTATICALLY
ATTRACTING STRUCTURES

Our Ref.: 782_164 CON

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PATENT AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL (Provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 Apply)			
Application Number	10/675,524	Filing Date	September 30, 2003
Group Art Unit	Not Assigned	Examiner Name	Not Assigned
Confirmation No.	Not Assigned	Attorney Docket No.	782_164 CON
Inventor(s)	Hideyoshi TSURUTA and Naohito YAMADA		
Invention:	ELECTROSTATIC CHUCKS AND ELECTROSTATICALLY ATTRACTING STRUCTURES		

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest Number Previously Paid	(5) No. of Extra Claims Present	(6) Rate (Large Entity)	(7) Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	MINUS	20		\$18.00	\$00.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4		\$86.00	\$00.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$00.00

EXTENSION OF TERM

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

☐ This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:

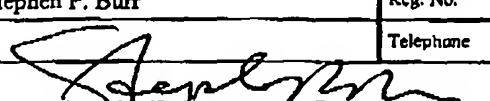
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:

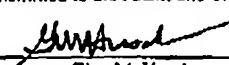
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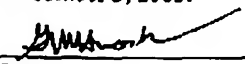
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.